

# *The Birth of John the Baptist*



**Mon. 06/25**     **A Day of Prayer for Victims of Cancer**  
*Feast*             Weekday  
8:00 AM Mass     Theresa Strasser, *Dr. Pete and Kathie Starr*

**Tues. 06/26**     **A Day of Prayer for Victims of Heart Diseases**  
*Feast*             Weekday  
8:00 AM Mass     Janet Pufka, 1st Ann of Death, *Don & Catherine Pacifico*

**Wed. 06/27**     **A Day of Prayer for Victims of Arthritis**  
*Feast*             Saint Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop & Doctor of the Church  
8:00 AM Mass     Theresa M. McCall, *Jeanie Farabaugh*

**Thur. 06/28**     **A Day of Prayer for Victims of Nervous Disorders**  
*Feast*             Saint Irenaeus, Bishop and Martyr  
8:00 AM Mass     Bill Conrad, *TJ and Christine Kiraly*

**Fri. 06/29**     **A Day of Prayer for Victims of Emotional Disorders**  
*Feast*             Saints Peter & Paul, Apostles  
8:00 AM Mass     All Souls buried in SS. Peter & Paul Cemetery, *C. Smith*

**Sat. 06/30**     **A Day of Prayer for Victims of Diabetes**  
*Feast*             Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
4:30 PM Mass     Theresa Bruno, *Husband and Children*

**Sun. 07/01**     **A Day of Prayer for Victims of Addictions**  
*Feast*             Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
9:00 AM Mass     Living and Deceased Members of Our Lady of Fatima Parish  
11:00 AM Mass     Denise Keagy, *Sylvia Tierney*

*Lord  
Jesus  
Christ  
Son  
Of  
God  
Have  
Mercy  
On  
Me  
A  
Sinner*

**Happy Birthday:**

06/26 Carol Corle  
06/27 Brenna Tupone  
06/29 Kort Tomlinson  
06/30 Greg Brannan  
07/02 Brayo Bradford  
Gary Koeck

**Wedding Anniversaries:**

06/25 Ray and Ellen Kelly  
06/27 Paul and Adaline Cassarly  
06/30 Mike and Mary Malligan

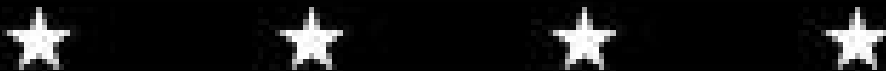
**Our Lady of Fatima pleaded that we pray the Holy Rosary  
Daily  
At O.L.F. before each Mass and privately from 8:30am to 7:00pm**

One of the priests on retreat last week who is a friend of a *bishop-friend* of Bishop Mark told me that this other bishop told him that Bishop Mark told him (on the occasion of his first anniversary) that this was a really tough year for him. The other bishop didn't elaborate ... *don't you just hate it when gossips tell you only half the story and leave out all the good stuff?* At any rate I determined at that time that our August 15 visitation by Bishop Mark should be remembered by him as one of the really great experiences of his second year here in Altoona-Johnstown. I'm asking every parishioner to make him feel welcome, comfortable, and at ease. Please show up, participate enthusiastically, greet him graciously and interact with him prayerfully and socially in familial way. In short: make him feel at home.

**JUNE 21 to JULY 4, 2012**



# **FORTNIGHT FOR FREEDOM**



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In response to current threats to religious freedom, the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops has called for a “Fortnight for Freedom,” a fourteen-day period of prayer, education, and peaceful action. Beginning on the vigil of the Feasts of St. John Fisher and St. Thomas More—two great martyrs who remained faithful in the face of political persecution—these fourteen days from June 21 to July 4 are dedicated as a great hymn of prayer for our country. Religious freedom is a right that must be safeguarded and preserved. Through prayer, education, and peaceful action, we hope to remind ourselves and others in the United States, including government officials, about the importance of preserving this fundamental right.

*In conjunction with the Fortnight For Freedom*

**Bishop Mark will preside at a Eucharistic Holy Hour at:  
The Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament in Altoona on**

**Sunday, June 24, 2012  
7:00 P.M.**